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From: Ngo, Kim
Sent: Thur 8/13/2015 3:15:32 PM
Subject: FW: Water desk question

From: Kahn, Lisa
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 10:11 AM
To: Ngo, Kim; EOC Water; Bahrman, Sarah; Manheimer, Jenna; McCoy, Melinda; Restivo, Angela; McCasland, Mark; Garcia, David; Lee, Bessie; Li, Corine; Montgomery, Michael
Subject: Re: Water desk question

Kevin, the Southern Ute tribe in Region 8 was not affected.

From: Ngo, Kim
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 7:58 AM
To: EOC Water; Bahrman, Sarah; Kahn, Lisa; Manheimer, Jenna; McCoy, Melinda; Restivo, Angela; McCasland, Mark; Garcia, David; Lee, Bessie; Li, Corine; Montgomery, Michael
Subject: RE: Water desk question

Kevin,

R6 Tribal drinking water systems have not been impacted by the mine spill. The drinking water systems located far away from the river.

Thank you.

From: Tingley, Kevin **On Behalf Of** EOC Water
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 8:45 AM
To: Bahrman, Sarah; Kahn, Lisa; Manheimer, Jenna; McElroy, Don; McCoy, Melinda; Ngo, Kim; Restivo, Angela; McCasland, Mark; Garcia, David; Lee, Bessie; Li, Corine; Montgomery, Michael
Subject: Fw: Water desk question

Gold King Mine Response Regions,

Please see question below - when you get the chance, please send me a couple of bullets on water issues associated with Tribes for this response.\

If you prefer, I will just extract something from the SitReps.

Thanks,

-Kevin Tingley

Water Desk

From: Irizarry, John
Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2015 9:28 AM
To: EOC Water; Tingley, Kevin
Subject: Water desk question

Kevin,

Are there any drinking water issues associated with the tribes affected by the release? (I think the Navajo and the Southern Ute tribes were affected) We have the Tribal Lands Environmental Forum next week and I want to be sure Becki Clark has some background information in case someone asks.

John W Irizarry

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"Success is the ability to go from one failure to another with no loss of enthusiasm."-- Winston Churchill, Former Prime Minister.